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Improper Use of Child Safety Seats — Kentucky, 1996

Since enactment of the Kentucky child restraint law in 1982, the number of motor-vehicle-occupant deaths among children aged 0–4 years has decreased 37% (1). A substantial proportion of this decline is attributed to the increased use of child safety seats (CSSs); in 1995, use of CSSs in Kentucky was 72% (2). In 1996 in the United States, although approximately 85% of infants and 60% of children aged 0–4 years were restrained, approximately 80% of CSSs were used improperly (3). The effectiveness of CSSs in preventing death and injury is reduced when they are used incorrectly (4,5). To estimate the rate for improper use of CSSs, the Kentucky Injury Prevention and Research Center analyzed data from observations and inspections of vehicles entering the main community shopping center parking lot during 1 day in each of two rural counties. This report summarizes the results of this study, which indicate that most children in CSSs were restrained improperly.

In both counties, an inspection area was set up within the parking lot, and two observers were placed at the entrance; other entrances were closed by traffic safety cones. Observers completed a survey form for each vehicle containing an occupant appearing to be aged ≤4 years, and every other vehicle with an occupant appearing to be aged ≤4 years was asked to participate in the interview/inspection process. When a driver agreed to participate, a consent form was signed and one researcher interviewed the driver and a second inspected the CSS. Interviews consisted of 16 questions related to the driver, the CSS, and the reason for the trip. Inspections addressed the type of CSS, position(s) of child(ren) in the vehicle, type of vehicle, and whether the CSS was used properly.

A total of 232 motor vehicles with an occupant aged ≤4 years were observed at the two sites. Of the 116 vehicles that were eligible for interview/inspection, 77 (66%) drivers agreed to participate. There were 87 child occupants in the 77 vehicles; 62 (81%) of the drivers were female, and 54 (70%) of the drivers were mothers of the children.

Of the 87 children, 69 (79%) were restrained, and 17 (20%) were restrained properly; 14 (16%) of the children were unrestrained. The restraint status of the remaining four children was undetermined because they were unrestrained at the time of inspection; although the adult occupants reported the children had been restrained before the inspection and interview, these four were not included in the analysis. A total of 73 instances of improper use were observed among the 52 improperly restrained children. A substantially greater percentage of these errors occurred with the use of convertible

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CSSs (e.g., a seat that can be used for both infants and toddlers; backward facing for infants aged <12 months and weighing <20 lbs, and forward facing for children aged ≥12 months and weighing 20–40 lbs). Within this category, 22 (42%) errors involved the harness, and 19 (37%) involved misuse of the harness retainer (chest) clip (Figure 1).

Of the 42 drivers who had improperly restrained children as occupants, 28 (67%) reported having learned how to use the device by reading the accompanying instructions. Nine (21%) reported having learned through the process of trial and error, and five (12%) reported having learned through demonstration.

The 83 children with known restraint status were distributed into three age categories: aged \leq 12 months (n=19), aged 13–24 months (n=29), and aged >24 months (n=36). For three (4%) children, ages were not recorded on the interview form. Children aged \leq 12 months had the lowest percentage (15%) of improper use (referent group). Compared with children aged \leq 12 months, those aged 13–24 months were four times more likely to be restrained improperly (odds ratio=4.0, p=0.06). Among children aged 13–24 months, 90% were restrained improperly, followed by children aged >24 months (69%) and children aged \leq 12 months (68%).

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Editorial Note: The findings in this report indicate that although most children were restrained in a CSS, three fourths were restrained improperly. Previous studies have documented similar proportions of improper restraint (5,6). Concern about the proper use of CSSs was prompted by the relation between CSS use and air bag-related injuries to children (7).

Harness straps correctly Child's height/weight adjusted for height of child appropriate for seat Safety belt snug Harness retainer (chest) clip buckled and in correct position to hold harness straps on the shoulders No space between child safety seat and automobile seat Child safety seat not cracked, recalled, etc. Locking clip used and Latch buckled correctly placed

FIGURE 1. Factors considered in inspection of child safety seats — Kentucky, 1996

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Children aged 13–24 months who used convertible CSSs were most likely to be restrained improperly. Infant CSSs may be easier to use correctly than are convertible CSSs. In addition, more instruction may be available for infant seats than for convertible CSSs. A previous study documented a 46% decrease in misuse of CSSs when personal instruction was given (8).

Because children aged 13–24 months are no longer passive infants and may protest vigorously about being restrained, the risk for CSS errors or the lack of restraint may be increased. As a result, caregivers must be firm in their resolve to have children restrained properly. Because the developmental characteristics of children cannot be changed, prevention efforts must focus on changing the behavior of caregivers.

The findings in this report are subject to at least two limitations. First, only 66% of eligible drivers participated in the survey; therefore, the findings may not be representative of all child restraint use. Second, eligibility was determined by the physical appearance of the child. As a result, some children may have been missed who appeared to be aged >4 years.

At least five strategies exist for increasing the proper use of CSSs. First, encouraging proper use of CSSs should combine health education and law enforcement (9). For example, law enforcement officers could issue citations for improper use, but fines could be waived if the caregiver attended an educational class on proper use and then demonstrated the capability of using the device properly. Second, at the 12month well-child examination, health-care providers could assess the child for weight and ability to make the transition from an infant CSS to a convertible CSS, or to use the convertible seat in the position for an older child. The caregiver could bring the CSS and vehicle most frequently used to the examination site, and the health-care provider could explain and demonstrate proper use. Third, targeted educational strategies are needed for groups at highest risk. This will require better documentation of the characteristics of the misuse and resulting injuries to child passengers. Fourth, local health departments and others could offer training in the proper use of CSSs at areas frequented by toddlers and their caregivers (e.g., fast-food restaurants, day care centers, and church-affiliated child-care programs). Finally, improved engineering could make CSSs easier to use. In addition, efforts to improve automobiles so that rear seats are equipped with universal attachments for CSSs should continue (10).

All 50 states have legislation that mandates restraint use for children aged <4 years. The adoption of this legislation has been associated with declines in motor-vehicle–related deaths among children in this age group. To continue this decline, prevention efforts now must focus on the proper use of these CSSs to maximize their life-saving potential.

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Imported Dengue — United States, 1996

Dengue is a mosquito-transmitted acute disease caused by any of four dengue virus serotypes (DEN-1, DEN-2, DEN-3, and DEN-4) and characterized by the sudden onset of fever, headache, myalgia, arthralgia, rash, nausea, and vomiting. This disease is endemic in most tropical areas of the world and has occurred in U.S. residents returning from travel to such areas. CDC maintains a laboratory-based passive surveillance system for imported dengue among U.S. residents. This report summarizes information about cases of imported dengue among U.S. residents for 1996, which indicated that most persons for whom travel history was known probably acquired infection in the Caribbean islands or Asia.

Serum samples from 179 persons who had suspected dengue with onset of symptoms in 1996 were submitted to CDC for diagnostic testing from 32 states and the District of Columbia. From these samples, 43 (24%) cases from 18 states and the District of Columbia were diagnosed serologically as dengue (single high titers of IgG in acute serum samples or by IgM detection in early convalescent samples) or by isolation of dengue virus. A diagnosis of dengue infection was negative in 102 (57%) patients and could not be determined in 34 (19%) patients because of unavailability of convalescent samples for serologic testing (1).

Of the 43 persons with laboratory-diagnosed dengue, sex was known in 39; 22 (56%) were male. Age was reported for 30 persons and ranged from 5 to 69 years (median: 33 years). The virus serotype (DEN-1 and DEN-2) was identified for five cases (Table 1). Travel histories, available for 37 persons, indicated that infections probably were acquired in the Caribbean islands (19 cases), Asia (11), Africa (three), the Pacific islands (two), Central America (one), and South America (one).

Clinical information was available for 28 patients with laboratory-diagnosed dengue. The most commonly reported symptoms were consistent with classic dengue fever (e.g., fever [93%], headache [61%], myalgia [57%], rash [57%], and arthralgia [18%]). Less frequently reported manifestations included diarrhea (five); eye pain (four); skin hemorrhages (two); and jaundice and depression (one each); low platelet counts (61,000–127,000/mm³, average 98,000/mm³ [normal: 150,000–450,000/mm³])

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(eight); low white blood cell count (1900–3100/mm³, average 2550/mm³ [normal: 3200–9800/mm³]) (six); and elevated liver enzymes (one). At least two patients were hospitalized, and no deaths were reported.

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TABLE 1. Suspected and laboratory-diagnosed cases of imported dengue, by state — United States, 1996

	Са	ses	Travel history, if known, of persons with
State	Suspected	Laboratory- diagnosed	laboratory-diagnosed dengue (serotype, if known)
Alabama	4	0	
Alaska	1	0	
Arkansas	1	0	
California	10	0	
Colorado	8	2	India (DEN-2), Malaysia
District of Columbia	5	1	Ivory Coast
Florida	5	1	Trinidad
Georgia	11	1	Grenadine Islands
Hawaii	6	2	Samoa (two cases)
Illinois	6	0	
Indiana	1	0	
Maine	1	1	U.S. Virgin Islands (DEN-1)
Maryland	9	6	U.S. Virgin Islands, British Virgin Islands (five cases)
Massachusetts	20	7	U.S. and British Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, Malaysia, India (two cases)
Michigan	3	0	(
Minnesota	3	0	
Montana	1	0	
Nebraska	1	0	
New Hampshire	1	0	
New Jersey	3	1	India
New Mexico	4	0	
New York	18	6	Jamaica, U.S. and British Virgin Islands, Anguilla, India (DEN-2), Trinidad and Tobago
North Carolina	4	2	India, Senegal
Ohio	1	1	Philippines
Oregon	8	1	Burma and Thailand
Pennsylvania	7	3	Puerto Rico and British Virgin Islands, British Virgin Islands (two cases)
Rhode Island	3	3	(DEN-1, two cases)
South Carolina	2	0	,
Texas	23	2	Honduras, Nigeria
Vermont	2	1	Barbados
Virginia	1	0	
Washington	2	1	Southeast Asia
Wisconsin	4	1	Ecuador
Total	179	43	

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Editorial Note: Dengue is transmitted by the mosquito *Aedes aegypti*, which is present in most tropical urban areas of the world. In the United States, the mosquito can be found during the summer in southeastern states, including parts of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Texas. Dengue transmission in the United States is rare; however, autochthonous transmission of dengue was documented in Texas in 1980, 1986, and 1995 (2).

The incubation period of dengue is 4–7 days (range: 3–14 days). Most cases are characterized by mild manifestations, but infections in some persons can result in the more severe forms of the disease. Dengue hemorrhagic fever (DHF) is characterized by fever, low platelet count ($\leq 100,000/\text{mm}^3$), hemorrhagic manifestations, and evidence of increased vascular permeability (e.g., hemoconcentration [hematocrit increased by $\geq 20\%$ from baseline], pleural or abdominal effusions, or hypoalbuminemia). Dengue shock syndrome (DSS) is DHF plus narrow pulse pressure (≤ 20 mm Hg), hypotension, or shock (3). The fatality rate for patients with DSS can be as high as 44% (4).

During 1987–1993, the average annual number of laboratory-diagnosed cases reported to CDC was 20, but in 1994 the number increased to 38 (1). In 1995, an unusually high number (n=86) of imported laboratory-diagnosed cases of dengue was identified by CDC, reflecting the occurrence of outbreaks in Central American and Caribbean countries and the high number of cases detected by an active surveillance system in Texas (5,6). In 1996, the number of dengue and DHF cases reported to the Pan American Health Organization (n=276,758) was lower than the total for 1995 (n=316,187). Among persons in the United States with imported cases in 1996, five persons with history of travel to India reflect the DEN-2 epidemic that occurred in India (7). Among the imported infections acquired in the Caribbean islands during 1996, seven were diagnosed in persons from Maryland and Pennsylvania who traveled to the Caribbean during January (8).

The number of cases in this report represents a minimum estimate of the number of U.S. travelers with dengue. Because dengue is not a notifiable disease nationally or in most states, diagnostic samples may not be sent for testing or they may be sent to laboratories other than CDC; therefore, many imported cases may not be counted. To provide a better estimate of the total number of cases, state epidemiologists were asked to provide a listing of all dengue cases reported in their state with onset of illness in 1996. Nineteen states reported 51 cases; 22 (43%) cases had not been reported previously.

There is no vaccine for preventing dengue, and persons traveling to areas where dengue is endemic should avoid exposure to mosquito bites by using mosquito repellents and protective clothing and remaining in well screened or air conditioned areas. Ae. aegypti is an urban mosquito usually found in or near human dwellings. In domestic settings, the mosquito can be found resting in dark areas including closets, bathrooms, behind curtains, and under beds. The species bites usually during the early morning and late afternoon (9). The risk for exposure is higher in urban residential areas, but may be lower for tourists in some settings (e.g., beaches, hotels with well-kept grounds, and areas away from human habitation).

The incidence and geographic distribution of dengue have increased greatly in recent years, and health-care providers should consider dengue in the differential

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diagnosis of illness in all patients who have fever and a history of travel to tropical areas within 2 weeks of onset of symptoms. Because of the anticoagulant properties of acetylsalicylic acid (i.e., aspirin) and other nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory agents, only acetaminophen products are recommended for the management of pain and fever. For diagnosis, acute- and convalescent-phase serum samples should be obtained and sent through state or territorial health departments to CDC's Dengue Branch, Division of Vector-Borne Infectious Diseases, National Center for Infectious Diseases, 2 Calle Casia, San Juan, PR 00921-3200; telephone (787) 766-5181; fax (787) 766-6596. Serum samples should be accompanied by a summary of clinical and epidemiologic information, including date of onset of disease, date of collection of sample, and a detailed recent travel history.

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National, State, and Urban Area Vaccination Coverage Levels Among Children Aged 19–35 Months — United States, 1997

CDC's National Immunization Survey (NIS) provides ongoing national estimates of vaccination coverage among children aged 19–35 months, based on the data for the most recent 12 months, for each of the 50 states and for 28 selected urban areas (1). The NIS was implemented in April 1994 to monitor vaccination coverage levels as part of the Childhood Immunization Initiative (CII), a national strategy to ensure high vaccination coverage of children during the first 2 years of life (2). This report presents the findings of the 1997 NIS*, which indicate that vaccination coverage among U.S. children aged 19–35 months remains at the highest levels ever, but that some new vaccines or recommended vaccine doses are below 90% coverage levels.

NIS uses a quarterly random-digit-dialing sample of telephone numbers for each survey area to collect vaccination information for all age-eligible children. During 1997, a total of 32,433 household interviews were completed, representing 32,742 children (mean: 420 children per survey area). The overall response rate for households

^{*}For this reporting period (January-December 1997), NIS included children born during February 1994-May 1996 (median age: 27 months).

with children aged 19-35 months for all 78 survey areas was 69% (range: 56%-89%). For completeness and verification, vaccination data are requested from vaccination providers with consent of parents. Provider data are weighted to represent the entire group of children surveyed and to account for household nonresponse, natality data, and the lower vaccination coverage among children in households without telephones (1,3). The demographic characteristics and reported vaccination histories were similar for children with and without provider information.

Compared with 1996, national vaccination coverage during 1997 increased slightly for three or more doses of Haemophilus influenzae type b vaccine (Hib3) (from 92% to 93%) and for three or more doses of hepatitis B vaccine (HepB3) (from 82% to 84%) (Table 1). Coverage with varicella vaccine (VAR) increased from 16% in 1996 to 26% in 1997. During 1997, VAR coverage increased from 18% in the first quarter to 33% in the last quarter. As in 1996, coverage with three or more doses of diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine/diphtheria and tetanus toxoids (DTP3), three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine (Polio3), one or more doses of measles-containing vaccine

TABLE 1. Vaccination coverage levels among children aged 19–35 months, by selected vaccines — United States, National Immunization Survey, 1994–1997

	Dece	April– ember 1994*		nuary– nber 1995 [†]		nuary– nber 1996 [§]	January– December 1997 [¶]		
Vaccine/Dose	%	(95% CI**)	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI)	
DTP/DT ^{††}									
≥3 Doses	94	(±0.6)	95	(±0.6)	95	(± 0.4)	95	(± 0.4)	
≥4 Doses	76	(±1.1)	79	(±1.0)	81	(±0.7)	81	(± 0.7)	
Poliovirus									
≥3 Doses	83	(±1.0)	88	(±0.8)	91	(±0.5)	91	(±0.5)	
Hib ^{§§}									
≥3 Doses	86	(±0.8)	92	(±0.6)	92	(±0.5)	93	(±0.5)	
MCV¶¶									
≥1 Doses	89	(±0.8)	90	(±0.7)	91	(±0.5)	91	(±0.5)	
Hepatitis B									
≥3 Doses	37	(±1.2)	68	(±1.0)	82	(±0.7)	84	(±0.6)	
Varicella									
≥1 Doses		NA***		NA	16	(±0.7)††	† 26	(±0.7)	
Combined series									
4 DTP/3 Polio/1 MCV§§§	74	(±1.1)	76	(±1.0)	78	(±0.8)	78	(±0.7)	
4 DTP/3 Polio/1 MCV/3 Hib¶¶¶	69	(±1.2)	74	(±1.0)	77	(±0.8)	76	(± 0.8)	

Children in this survey period were born during May 1991-May 1993.

and three or more doses of Hib.

Children in this survey period were born during February 1992–May 1994. Children in this survey period were born during February 1993–May 1995.

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^{**} Confidence interval.

Diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine/diphtheria and tetanus toxoids (DTP/DT).

Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib) vaccine.

Includes any measles-containing vaccine (MCV). Data not available in this reporting period. Data collection for varicella vaccine began in July 1996.

Estimate based on data collected during July-December 1996 for children born during August 1993-May 1995.

Four or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, and one or more doses of MCV. Four of more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of MCV,

(MCV), and Hib3 exceeded 90% in 1997; coverage with four or more doses of DTP (DTP4) remained at 81%.

For the 4:3:1[†] and 4:3:1:3[§] series, national coverage remained stable (78% and 76%, respectively). The range of state-specific coverage for the 4:3:1 series narrowed from 64% to 88% (median: 79%) in 1996 to 71% to 87% (median: 78%) in 1997 (Table 2). For selected urban areas, coverage for the 4:3:1 series ranged from 63% to 84% (median: 79%) in 1996 to 66% to 88% (median: 76%) in 1997. Although the median coverge levels remained stable, the low end of the ranges increased.

Coverage levels for Polio3, MCV, and Hib3 ranged from 84% to 97% among states and from 81% to 96% among urban areas (Table 3). For DTP4, coverage ranged from 75% to 91% among states and 69% to 91% among urban areas. For HepB3, coverage ranged from 73% to 91% among states and 76% to 90% among urban areas.

During 1997, all states and 27 of the 28 selected urban areas achieved 90% coverage with DTP3. Four states and one urban area achieved 90% coverage with DTP4, and eight of the 46 remaining states and two of the 27 remaining urban areas had coverage levels of 85% to 89% (Table 3).

Compared with 1996, 90% coverage with Polio3 during 1997 increased from 38 to 41 states and decreased from 17 to 12 urban areas; all remaining states and 12 of the remaining 16 urban areas had coverage of 85% to 89% (1). For MCV, 90% coverage decreased from 32 to 31 states and from 19 to 17 urban areas; 18 of the 19 remaining states and nine of the 11 remaining urban areas had coverage of 85% to 89%. For Hib3, 90% coverage increased from 41 to 48 states and from 19 to 20 urban areas; all remaining states and six of the remaining eight urban areas had coverage levels of 85% to 89%. In 1997, two states and one urban area achieved 90% coverage for HepB3; 17 of the remaining 48 states and seven of the remaining 27 urban areas had HepB3 coverage levels of 85% to 89%. Compared with July 1996–June 1997, the median VAR coverage during 1997 increased from 17% (range: 3%–33%) to 23% (range: 4%–40%) among states and from 16% (range: 7%–33%) to 26% (range: 13%–43%) among urban areas (Table 3). Compared with 1996, the number that reached or exceeded 90% coverage goals (70% for HepB3) in 1997 remained unchanged at 30 states and decreased from 14 to 10 urban areas (1).

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Editorial Note: The findings in this report indicate that national coverage for the recommended vaccines remained the highest ever recorded, with four of the antigens at >90% coverage levels. This accomplishment reflects improvements in the vaccination delivery system since the low coverage levels reported during the 1989–1991 measles epidemic. The findings also suggest that several challenges remain: coverage levels for DTP4 have not changed since 1996, HepB3 coverage increased only slightly in 1997, and VAR coverage levels are increasing but remain at relatively low levels.

The low coverage levels with DTP4 may reflect in part the difficulty of getting children to return to providers in the second year of life when receipt of DTP4 is recommended. Reminding parents or recalling children that are overdue by using reminder

[†]Four or more doses of diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine/diphtheria and tetanus toxoids (DTP/DT), three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, and one or more doses of measles-containing vaccine (MCV).

[§]Four or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of MCV, and three or more doses of *Haemophilus influenzae* type b vaccine.

TABLE 2. Estimated vaccination coverage with the 4:3:1 series* and 4:3:1:3 series† among children aged 19-35 months, by coverage level and state and selected urban area — United States, National Immunization Survey, 1997§

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North Carolina 81 (± 4.2) Shelby Co. 70	(±5.3)
North Dakota 83 (±3.8) Vermont 84	(±3.3)
Ohio 75 (±3.6) Washington 79	(±3.2)
Franklin Co. 75 (± 5.0) King Čo. 77	(±4.6)
Cuyahoga Co. 74 (±5.3) West Virginia 80	(± 4.1)
Pennsylvania 82 (±3.6) Wisconsin 79	(±3.1)
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Rhode Island 84 (±3.9) 65%–74%	
South Carolina 80 (± 4.2) Arizona 73	(±3.4)
South Dakota 78 (±4.3) Maricopa Co. 72	(±4.8)

^{*} Four or more doses of diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine/diphtheria and tetanus toxoids (DTP/DT), three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, and one or more doses of measles-containing vaccine

⁽MCV).

† Four or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of MCV, and three or more doses of *Haemophilus influenzae* type b vaccine. S Children in this survey period were born during February 1994–May 1996. Confidence interval.

TABLE 2. Estimated vaccination coverage with the 4:3:1 series* and 4:3:1:3: series† among children aged 19–35 months, by coverage level and state and selected urban area — United States, National Immunization Survey, 1997§ — Continued

Coverage Level/	Seri	es 4:3:1	Coverage Level/	Series 4:3:1:3	
State/Urban area	%	(95% CI [¶])	State/Urban area	%	(95% CI)
Tennessee	78	(±3.1)	California	74	(±3.1)
Davidson Co.	77	(±4.6)	Los Angeles Co.	71	(±5.5)
Shelby Co.	73	(±5.1)	San Diego Co.	78	(±4.3)
Texas	75	(±3.1)	Santa Clara Co.	73	(±4.8)
Bexar Co.	81	(±4.7)	Colorado	72	(±5.0)
Dallas Co.	77	(±5.2)	District of Columbia	73	(±5.4)
El Paso Co.	67	(±5.2)	ldaho	70	(±4.7)
Houston	66	(±6.1)	Illinois	74	(±3.8)
Washington	80	(±3.1)	Chicago	68	(±5.5)
King Čo.	79	(±4.8)	Indiana	72	(±3.7)
West Virginia	82	(± 4.0)	Marion Co.	81	(± 4.5)
Wisconsin	80	(±3.0)	Montana	74	(± 4.4)
Milwaukee Co.	73	(±4.8)	Nevada	71	(±4.9)
65%-74%			Ohio	73	(±3.6)
Arizona	74	(±3.4)	Cuyahoga Co.	73	(±5.3)
Maricopa Co.	74	(±4.7)	Franklin Co.	74	(±5.0)
Colorado	74	(±4.9)	Oklahoma	71	(±4.9)
Idaho	72 72	(±4.6)	Oregon	72	(±4.7)
Indiana	74	(±3.6)	Texas	74	(±3.1)
Marion Co.	82	(±4.4)	Bexar Co.	79	(±4.8)
Nevada	73	(±4.8)	Dallas Co.	74	(±5.4)
Oklahoma	72	(±4.9)	El Paso Co.	65	(±5.3)
Oregon	73	(±4.6)	Houston	64	(±6.1)
Utah	71	(±4.7)	Utah	69	(±4.7)
Virginia	73	(±4.7)	Virginia	72	(±4.8)
Wyoming	74	(±4.4)	Wyoming	72	(±4.4)
Total	78	(±0.7)	Total	76	(±0.8)

^{*} Four or more doses of diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine/diphtheria and tetanus toxoids (DTP/DT), three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, and one or more doses of measles-containing vaccine (MCV).

three or more doses of *Haemophilus influenzae* type b vaccine. Children in this survey period were born during February 1994–May 1996.

[¶] Confidence interval.

and recall systems may further increase coverage with the fourth dose of DTP. Acellular-based DTP4 also can be administered to children as early as age 12 months if providers believe that the child is unlikely to return for a vaccination visit at age 15–18 months and if at least 6 months has elapsed since the third dose (4). Coverage with DTP4 is particularly low among children living below the poverty level (5). Conducting vaccine assessment and referral in the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) is an effective strategy to address this gap in coverage (6).

Achieving high coverage with HepB3 vaccine since the 1991 ACIP recommendation for universal administration in infancy initially may have been hampered by provider resistance to vaccination of children at low immediate risk for disease (7) and the lack of adequate resources for vaccine purchase. During the mid-1990s, the federal government and several state governments enhanced the availability of HepB vaccine, and coverage with three or more doses increased from 37% in 1994 to 82% in 1996. Strategies that may further increase coverage with HepB3 include greater provider and parental education on the reasons for vaccination of infants, vaccination assessment and referral for needed vaccines at WIC sites (6), provider assessment

[†] Four or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of MCV, and

TABLE 3. Estimated vaccination coverage with individual vaccines among children aged 19–35 months, by state and selected urban area — United States, National Immunization Survey, 1997*

	≥3 [OTP/DT [†]	≥4 D	TP/DT§	≥3 Po	liovirus¶	≥1 [VICV**	≥3	Hib ^{††}	≥3 He	patitis B	≥1 Varicella ^{§§}	
State/Urban area	%	(95%CI ^{¶¶})	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI)
Alabama***	98	(±1.2)	89	(±2.9)	95	(±1.8)	92	(±2.5)	97	(±1.5)	86	(±3.1)	27	(±3.5)
Jefferson Co.***	98	(±1.8)	87	(± 3.8)	93	(±2.9)	93	(± 2.9)	96	(±2.2)	89	(±3.5)	34	(± 5.3)
Alaska ^{†††}	93	(±2.9)	80	(±4.5)	91	(±3.2)	87	(±3.9)	90	(±3.5)	87	(±3.3)	12	(±3.3)
Arizona ^{†††}	91	(±2.3)	79	(±3.3)	88	(±2.7)	88	(±2.6)	90	(±2.4)	79	(±3.1)	28	(±3.4)
Maricopa Co.†††	91	(±3.2)	79	(± 4.5)	87	(±3.8)	89	(±3.5)	89	(± 3.4)	79	(± 4.3)	29	(± 4.8)
Arkansas***	95	(±2.4)	81	(±4.1)	91	(±3.0)	92	(±2.8)	93	(±2.7)	85	(±3.3)	16	(±3.7)
California†††	94	(±1.8)	79	(± 3.0)	90	(±2.2)	89	(± 2.4)	91	(±2.2)	83	(± 2.4)	35	(± 2.9)
Los Angeles Co.†††	93	(± 3.4)	76	(± 5.4)	89	(± 3.9)	90	(±3.7)	91	(± 3.6)	82	(± 4.6)	40	(± 5.5)
Santa Clara Co.†††	97	(±2.0)	83	(± 4.1)	89	(± 3.6)	91	(± 3.0)	93	(± 2.8)	87	(±3.2)	37	(±5.1)
San Diego Co.***	96	(±2.2)	83	(± 4.1)	91	(±3.1)	94	(± 2.4)	93	(± 2.7)	86	(± 3.4)	33	(± 4.6)
Colorado ^{†††}	94	(± 2.7)	79	(± 4.6)	88	(± 3.7)	94	(± 2.7)	91	(± 3.4)	80	(± 4.4)	20	(± 4.2)
Connecticut***	98	(±1.3)	91	(± 3.0)	94	(± 2.6)	94	(± 2.7)	95	(±2.2)	84	(±3.9)	27	(± 4.6)
Delaware***	97	(± 1.9)	84	(± 4.4)	94	(± 2.8)	91	(± 3.5)	94	(± 2.8)	83	(± 4.1)	28	(± 4.8)
District of Columbia†††	94	(± 3.0)	80	(± 5.0)	89	(± 3.9)	91	(± 3.6)	90	(± 3.8)	79	(± 4.8)	36	(± 5.6)
Florida***	96	(±1.7)	82	(± 3.3)	91	(± 2.4)	91	(± 2.4)	93	(± 2.2)	85	(± 3.0)	27	(± 3.3)
Duval Co.†††	95	(± 2.4)	75	(± 4.8)	90	(± 3.4)	89	(±3.6)	93	(± 3.0)	88	(±3.2)	34	(± 5.0)
Dade Co.†††	96	(± 2.4)	81	(± 4.6)	89	(± 3.7)	91	(± 3.4)	93	(± 2.9)	82	(± 4.3)	23	(± 4.7)
Georgia***	98	(±1.2)	85	(± 3.3)	94	(±1.9)	92	(±2.5)	95	(±1.8)	87	(±2.9)	25	(± 3.4)
Fulton/DeKalb cos.†††	95	(± 2.5)	84	(± 4.2)	88	(± 3.8)	93	(± 2.9)	92	(± 3.2)	83	(± 4.2)	35	(± 5.3)
Hawaii***	94	(± 2.8)	84	(± 4.3)	90	(± 3.5)	93	(± 3.0)	92	(± 3.3)	88	(± 3.4)	34	(± 5.2)
ldaho ^{†††}	92	(± 2.9)	75	(± 4.6)	89	(± 3.2)	89	(± 3.4)	88	(± 3.5)	79	(± 4.1)	6	(± 2.4)
Illinois ^{†††}	95	(±1.9)	81	(± 3.4)	89	(± 2.8)	89	(± 2.7)	92	(± 2.3)	81	(± 3.2)	20	(± 3.2)
Chicago ^{†††}	94	(± 3.0)	75	(± 5.2)	88	(± 3.9)	87	(± 4.0)	89	(± 3.8)	80	(± 4.7)	17	(± 4.0)
Indiana ^{†††}	95	(± 1.9)	77	(± 3.5)	89	(± 2.7)	89	(± 2.7)	91	(± 2.5)	80	(±3.1)	16	(± 2.7)
Marion Co.***	96	(± 2.3)	84	(± 4.3)	92	(±3.1)	91	(± 3.4)	93	(± 2.9)	82	(± 4.4)	20	(± 4.4)
lowa ^{†††}	96	(± 1.9)	82	(± 3.9)	91	(± 2.9)	89	(± 3.3)	95	(± 2.2)	85	(± 3.3)	18	(± 3.8)
Kansas***	96	(± 2.1)	85	(± 3.6)	93	(± 2.6)	93	(± 2.5)	94	(± 2.4)	81	(± 4.3)	25	(± 4.5)
Kentucky***	95	(± 2.3)	83	(± 4.1)	92	(± 2.9)	90	(± 3.3)	94	(± 2.6)	83	(± 4.0)	28	(± 4.6)
Louisiana ^{†††}	96	(± 1.6)	81	(± 3.8)	92	(± 2.4)	88	(± 3.2)	94	(±2.1)	86	(±3.1)	16	(± 3.2)
Orleans Parish ^{†††}	90	(± 4.1)	75	(± 5.8)	82	(± 5.2)	86	(±4.7)	86	(±4.7)	77	(± 5.4)	19	(± 5.0)
Maine***	98	(± 1.3)	90	(± 3.0)	95	(±2.1)	95	(± 2.2)	96	(±1.8)	84	(± 3.4)	13	(± 3.2)
Maryland***	97	(± 1.4)	86	(± 3.2)	93	(± 2.3)	94	(± 2.0)	95	(± 2.0)	85	(±3.1)	40	(± 4.1)
Baltimore***	97	(± 2.2)	89	(± 4.0)	93	(±3.1)	94	(±3.1)	95	(±2.7)	83	(± 4.5)	26	(± 5.3)
Massachusetts***	98	(±1.2)	91	(± 2.4)	94	(± 2.0)	95	(±1.8)	96	(±1.8)	88	(± 2.8)	21	(± 3.3)
Boston***	98	(±1.5)	91	(± 3.0)	96	(± 2.0)	95	(± 2.3)	96	(± 2.2)	90	(±2.9)	20	(± 4.4)
Michigan ^{†††}	95	(±1.9)	79	(± 3.5)	91	(± 2.4)	89	(± 2.8)	91	(± 2.4)	84	(± 2.8)	17	(± 3.1)
Detroit ^{†††}	90	(±3.7)	73	(± 5.3)	82	(± 4.7)	84	(± 4.4)	82	(±4.7)	76	(± 4.9)	15	(± 4.2)
Minnesota***	96	(± 2.0)	84	(± 4.0)	93	(± 2.5)	92	(± 2.9)	93	(±2.7)	77	(± 4.3)	36	(± 4.7)
Mississippi***	95	(± 2.4)	83	(± 4.2)	92	(±3.1)	90	(± 3.4)	94	(± 2.6)	86	(±3.7)	11	(± 3.6)
Missouri***	97	(±1.9)	83	(±4.1)	90	(±3.2)	90	(± 3.3)	95	(± 2.2)	83	(±3.8)	25	(± 4.4)
Montana ^{†††}	96	(± 2.2)	80	(±4.1)	91	(± 3.0)	87	(± 3.5)	92	(± 2.8)	80	(± 3.9)	19	(± 3.6)
Nebraska ^{†††}	95	(± 2.2)	81	(± 4.0)	90	(± 3.0)	89	(± 3.3)	92	(± 2.7)	82	(± 3.6)	22	(± 3.9)

Nevada ^{†††}	93	(± 2.9)	78	(± 4.6)	90	(± 3.4)	89	(± 3.6)	91	(±3.3)	84	(± 3.5)	13	(±3.7)
New Hampshire***	99	(± 1.0)	89	(± 3.3)	95	(± 2.3)	95	(± 2.3)	97	(±1.7)	87	(± 3.2)	27	(± 4.3)
New Jersey***	98	(± 1.3)	82	(±3.9)	93	(± 2.6)	93	(± 2.5)	94	(± 2.2)	91	(± 2.1)	29	(± 4.3)
Newark ^{†††}	92	(± 4.0)	74	(± 6.0)	81	(± 5.4)	85	(± 4.9)	84	(±5.1)	78	(± 5.4)	15	(± 4.4)
New Mexico ^{†††}	93	(± 3.0)	81	(± 4.4)	88	(± 3.8)	87	(± 3.9)	89	(± 3.6)	82	(± 4.2)	20	(± 4.1)
New York***	98	(± 1.2)	83	(± 3.1)	91	(± 2.3)	94	(± 2.0)	93	(± 2.2)	86	(± 2.4)	26	(± 3.3)
New York City***	97	(± 1.9)	83	(± 4.5)	92	(± 3.2)	93	(± 2.9)	92	(± 3.4)	85	(± 3.6)	22	(± 4.6)
North Carolina***	98	(± 1.3)	84	(± 4.0)	96	(± 2.0)	94	(± 2.4)	95	(± 2.2)	90	(± 2.8)	30	(± 4.8)
North Dakota***	98	(± 1.5)	87	(± 3.4)	93	(± 2.6)	91	(± 3.0)	96	(± 2.0)	87	(± 3.0)	24	(± 4.0)
Ohio ^{†††}	97	(± 1.4)	80	(±3.4)	90	(± 2.6)	89	(±2.7)	95	(±1.8)	83	(±2.9)	23	(±3.0)
Cuyahoga Co.***	95	(± 2.7)	78	(±5.1)	90	(±3.7)	91	(± 3.5)	93	(±3.2)	83	(± 4.3)	26	(± 4.9)
Franklin Co.†††	96	(± 2.4)	79	(± 4.7)	88	(±3.8)	90	(±3.6)	94	(±2.8)	78	(± 4.5)	30	(±5.0)
Oklahoma ^{†††}	95	(±2.5)	77	(±4.7)	90	(±3.3)	88	(±3.7)	93	(±2.8)	83	(±3.7)	26	(± 4.4)
Oregon ^{†††}	94	(±2.5)	78	(±4.4)	88	(±3.4)	88	(±3.4)	92	(±2.9)	83	(±3.7)	29	(±4.5)
Pennsylvania***	96	(±1.9)	84	(±3.5)	90	(±2.9)	91	(±2.7)	93	(±2.4)	83	(±3.3)	39	(±3.9)
Philadelphia Co.***	95	(±2.8)	82	(±4.8)	91	(±3.5)	92	(±3.3)	93	(±3.2)	81	(±4.7)	43	(±5.9)
Rhode Island***	99	(±0.6)	89	(±3.2)	95	(±2.3)	95	(±2.3)	96	(±2.0)	87	(±3.3)	35	(±4.8)
South Carolina***	96	(±2.1)	83	(±4.0)	91	(±3.0)	91	(±3.2)	95	(±2.3)	86	(±3.4)	26	(±4.5)
South Dakota***	96	(±1.9)	81	(±4.1)	92	(±2.8)	91	(±3.0)	95	(±2.2)	79	(±4.0)	4	(±1.9)
Tennessee***	96	(±1.5)	83	(±2.9)	91	(±2.0)	90	(±2.3)	94	(±1.6)	84	(±2.5)	22	(±2.9)
Shelby Co.†††	95	(±2.6)	79	(±4.7)	88	(±3.8)	89	(±3.7)	91	(±3.5)	84	(±4.0)	24	(±4.6)
Davidson Co.†††	95	(±2.5)	83	(±4.1)	89	(±3.4)	89	(±3.5)	93	(±2.9)	79	(±4.1)	30	(±4.6)
Texas ^{†††}	92	(±2.1)	78	(±3.0)	88	(±2.4)	89	(±3.3)	90	(±2.2)	82	(±2.5)	23	(±2.5)
Bexar Co.***	95	(±2.7)	83	(±4.5)	94	(±2.8)	91	(±3.4)	94	(±2.2)	88	(±3.3)	25	(±4.6)
Dallas Co.†††	95	(±2.7)	79	(±5.1)	91	(±3.4)	88	(±4.1)	91	(±2.3)	86	(±3.8)	27	(±5.1)
El Paso Co.†††	89	(±3.5)	69	(±5.1)	87	(±3.4)	84	(±4.1)	87	(±3.4)	79	(±3.6)	18	(±3.1)
Houston ^{†††}	90	(±3.3)	69	(±6.0)	84	(±3.7)	86	(±4.7)	85	(±4.8)	73 78	(±3.5)	21	(±4.5)
Utah ^{†††}	93	(±4.1)	75	(±4.6)	90	(±3.2)	86	(±4.7)	90	(±3.2)	73	(±4.5)	14	(±3.6)
Vermont***	99	(±2.7) (±0.5)	91	(±4.6)	95	(±3.2) (±1.9)	94	(±3.7) (±2.1)	96	(±3.2) (±1.6)	83	(±4.5)	22	(±3.6) (±3.9)
Virginia***	94	(±0.5)	76		90		90	(±2.1) (±3.1)		(±1.6) (±2.9)	84	(±3.2) (±3.7)	32	
				(±4.6)		(±3.2)			92					(±4.7)
Washington***	97	(±1.3)	84	(±2.9)	93	(±1.9)	91	(±2.3)	93	(±1.9)	81	(± 3.0)	13	(±2.5)
King Co.***	94	(±2.7)	83	(±4.2)	90	(±3.3)	92	(±3.1)	90	(±3.4)	79	(±4.4)	13	(±3.6)
West Virginia***	98	(±1.2)	87	(±3.6)	95	(±2.2)	91	(±3.0)	97	(±1.7)	86	(±3.3)	19	(±3.9)
Wisconsin***	95	(±1.8)	83	(±2.9)	92	(±2.1)	91	(±2.4)	93	(±1.9)	82	(±2.8)	20	(±2.8)
Milwaukee Co.†††	94	(±2.7)	77	(±4.6)	88	(±3.6)	93	(±2.7)	88	(±3.6)	77	(±4.5)	23	(±4.2)
Wyoming ^{†††}	93	(± 2.6)	78	(±4.2)	89	(±3.1)	84	(±3.8)	91	(±2.9)	82	(± 3.6)	10	(± 3.0)
Total	95	(±0.4)	81	(±0.7)	91	(±0.5)	91	(±0.5)	93	(±0.5)	84	(±0.6)	26	(±0.7)
* Children in this surve	y period	were born	during	February 1	1994–Ma	ıy 1996.								
[†] Three or more doses	of diphth	eria and te	etanus t	oxoids and	d pertus	sis vaccine	/diphthe	eria and tet	anus to	xoids (DTF	P/DT).			
Four or more doses of	of DTP/DT													
Three or more doses	ot poliov	virus vaccir	16. a.vooci:	20										
** One or more doses of three or more doses	of Hage	onhilue int	y vaceli Juanzaa	type h ya	ccina									
§§ One dose of varicella	vaccine	opillius IIII on or after	the fire	t hirthday	Data co	llection for	r varicel	la vacine h	egan in	July 1996				
¶ Confidence interval.	Sone dose of varicella vaccine on or after the first birthday. Data collection for varicella vacine began in July 1996.													
*** Achieved the 1996 Ch	ildhood l	lmmunizati	on Initia	ative (CII) o	oals for	three or n	nore do	ses of DTP	DT, thre	e or more	doses	of polioviru	ıs vacci	ne, one or

^{***} Achieved the 1996 Childhood Immunization Initiative (CII) goals for three or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of MCV, three or more doses of Hib, and three or more doses of hepatitis B vaccine.

††† Did not achieve the 1996 CII goals for at least one of the following: three or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of MCV, or three or more doses of Hib, but achieved the 1996 goal for three or more doses of hepatitis B vaccine.

and feedback (8), use of reminder and recall systems for vaccination administration (9), and state laws requiring vaccination for day care and school entry.

Although VAR coverage increased substantially in 1997, the wide variation among states and urban areas indicates a need for special efforts in most areas. Among children, varicella is the leading cause of vaccine-preventable deaths in the United States, resulting in approximately 1 death per week. Increased coverage with VAR will be enhanced by promotional and education programs to address the lack of knowledge of the health burden associated with varicella in the United States and lack of provider knowledge about vaccine safety, efficacy, and duration of immunity (10). The national estimate for the last quarter of this reporting period suggests a continuing upward trend in coverage with VAR.

Although national coverage levels of 90% have been attained for several individual vaccines, substantial variation remains at the state and urban area level, and many states have not achieved 90% coverage levels for specific vaccines. Achieving the national goal of 90% coverage by 2000 will require states to achieve and maintain high coverage levels for each vaccine. Public health efforts must focus on implementing effective strategies that achieve and sustain high vaccination coverage.

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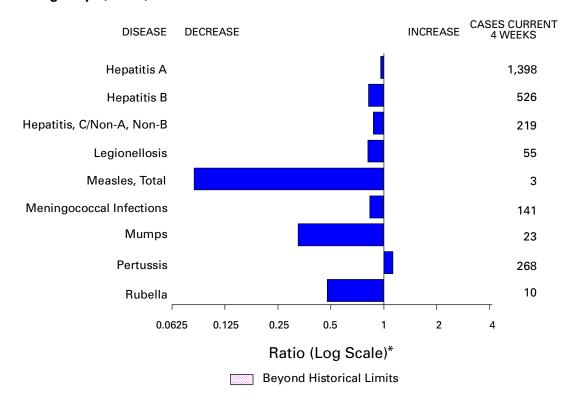
International Symposium on Tuberculosis Vaccine Development and Evaluation

The 1998 International Symposium on Tuberculosis Vaccine Development and Evaluation will be held August 26–28, 1998, in San Francisco, California. The symposium, cosponsored by CDC's National Vaccine Program Office, the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, the American Lung Association, the World Health Organization, the American Thoracic Society, and the International Union Against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease, is for scientists, public health practitioners, infectious disease and pulmonary physicians, other health-care providers, vaccine manufacturers and distributors, and biotechnology firms. Symposium topics will include public health implications of tuberculosis (TB), the status of TB vaccine development, preclinical obstacles for TB candidate vaccines, challenges in TB vaccine evaluation, strategies for overcoming barriers for field testing, and criteria for field site selection. Information on the symposium is available from CDC's National Vaccine Program Office, telephone (404) 639-4168.

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In the CDC Surveillance Summaries, "Postneonatal Mortality Surveillance—United States, 1980–1994," on page 15, information was incorrectly presented in the results section of the abstract. The third sentence of that section should read, "The PNM ratio between blacks and whites remained steady at approximately 2.1 during 1982–1988 and gradually increased to 2.4 by 1994." This corrected sentence also replaces the fifth sentence under the Results heading on pages 16–17.

FIGURE I. Selected notifiable disease reports, comparison of provisional 4-week totals ending July 4, 1998, with historical data — United States



^{*}Ratio of current 4-week total to mean of 15 4-week totals (from previous, comparable, and subsequent 4-week periods for the past 5 years). The point where the hatched area begins is based on the mean and two standard deviations of these 4-week totals.

TABLE I. Summary — provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, cumulative, week ending July 4, 1998 (26th Week)

	Cum. 1998		Cum. 1998
Anthrax Brucellosis Cholera Congenital rubella syndrome Cryptosporidiosis* Diphtheria Encephalitis: California* eastern equine* St. Louis* western equine* Hansen Disease Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome* Hemolytic uremic syndrome, post-diarrheal* HIV infection, pediatric*	- 36 4 3 917 1 2 - - - 60 5 19	Plague Poliomyelitis, paralytic¶ Psittacosis Rabies, human Rocky Mountain spotted fever (RMSF) Streptococcal disease, invasive Group A Streptococcal toxic-shock syndrome* Syphilis, congenital** Tetanus Toxic-shock syndrome Trichinosis Typhoid fever Yellow fever	3 - 25 - 89 1,287 33 128 14 67 6 139

^{-:} no reported cases

^{*}Not notifiable in all states.

† Updated weekly from reports to the Division of Viral and Rickettsial Diseases, National Center for Infectious Diseases (NCID).

§ Updated monthly to the Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention–Surveillance and Epidemiology, National Center for HIV, STD, and TB Prevention (NCHSTP), last update June 28, 1998.

¶ One suspected case of polio with onset in 1998 has been reported to date.

^{**}Updated from reports to the Division of STD Prevention, NCHSTP.

TABLE II. Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending July 4, 1998, and June 28, 1997 (26th Week)

					Esche coli O	erichia 157:H7			Нера	atitic
	Al	DS	Chla	mydia	NETSS†	PHLIS [§]	Gono	rrhea	C/N/	
Reporting Area	Cum. 1998*	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997
UNITED STATES	23,929	30,843	258,443	247,851	812	405	149,101	144,806	2,012	1,678
NEW ENGLAND	830	1,267	9,401	8,621	114	90	2,497	2,929	27	35
Maine N.H.	18 22	28 17	467 459	484 388	9 18	18	34 46	29 58	-	-
Vt.	10	24	194	196	4	4	13	25	-	1
Mass. R.I.	386 67	462 81	4,144 1,230	3,546 1,019	59 3	52 1	993 180	1,095 242	25 2	30 4
Conn.	327	655	2,907	2,988	21	15	1,231	1,480	-	-
MID. ATLANTIC Upstate N.Y.	6,951 849	9,739 1,620	31,057 N	27,085 N	80 57	18 -	17,179 2,961	17,404 2,979	212 162	150 112
N.Y. City	3,910	4,965	17,038	13,136	3	6	7,401	6,547	-	-
N.J. Pa.	1,232 960	2,006 1,148	4,885 9,134	4,858 9,091	20 N	11 1	2,734 4,083	3,579 4,299	- 50	38
E.N. CENTRAL	1,768	2,131	42,769	35,869	149	78	29,361	21,283	256	327
Ohio	331	409	12,419	10,775	36	16	7,564	6,659	6	7
Ind. III.	326 706	360 760	2,706 12,462	4,204 6,476	51 33	22	1,769 10,038	2,820 3,206	3 11	9 54
Mich.	305	473	10,844	9,052	29	20	8,269	6,404	236	239
Wis.	100	129	4,338	5,362	N	20	1,721	2,194	-	18
W.N. CENTRAL Minn.	444 65	603 99	14,744 2,401	15,679 3,271	97 38	51 26	7,085 858	6,942 1,139	111 6	34 2
lowa	49	69	2,010	2,285	25	-	638	614	11	17
Mo. N. Dak.	209 4	294 6	5,634 290	5,762 427	10 2	17 5	4,034 29	3,725 30	90	4 2
S. Dak.	9	3	809	621	6	1	129	66	-	-
Nebr. Kans.	39 69	49 83	1,095 2,505	1,007 2,306	7 9	2	366 1,031	371 997	2 2	2 7
S. ATLANTIC	5,900	7,638	54,111	46,356	66	29	43,470	45,229	101	112
Del.	75	144	1,241	2.047	-	1	673	566	-	-
Md. D.C.	718 481	949 533	4,129 N	3,647 N	12 1	4	4,703 1,758	5,790 2,076	5 -	3
Va.	425	599	5,342	5,533	N N	7 2	3,046	4,003	5	11 9
W. Va. N.C.	57 390	57 423	1,322 10,900	1,431 8,329	12	10	371 9,143	474 7,996	4 12	29
S.C. Ga.	386 616	403 970	9,309 12,196	6,151 8,513	2 22	-	6,043 10,026	5,590 9,806	2 9	26
Fla.	2,752	3,560	9,672	12,752	14	5	7,707	8,928	64	34
E.S. CENTRAL	936	1,018	17,829	16,924	43	11	16,851	16,625	77	188
Ky. Tenn.	127 333	177 413	3,052 6,228	3,336 6,287	10 22	10	1,753 5,297	2,089 5,241	14 60	8 120
Ala.	274	239	4,889	3,986	11	-	6,113	5,619	3	6
Miss.	202	189	3,660	3,315	U	1	3,688	3,676	U 514	54 107
W.S. CENTRAL Ark.	2,899 104	3,145 120	36,049 1,647	28,793 1,416	51 4	8 3	20,551 1,153	18,959 2,315	514 5	197 6
La.	512	562	6,429	4,142	6	2 3	5,274	3,865	10 2	104 4
Okla. Tex.	170 2,113	138 2,325	4,875 23,098	3,662 19,573	41	-	2,656 11,468	2,330 10,449	497	83
MOUNTAIN	831	900	9,212	13,886	84	50	3,331	3,749	237	152
Mont. Idaho	15 15	22 28	632 917	513 709	6 9	- 1	23 83	20 52	5 87	10 23
Wyo.	15 2	13	330	284	2	-	15	26	43	40
Colo. N. Mex.	147 130	224 80	1,878	3,108 1,925	22 10	18 6	1,132 371	1,050 441	14 52	18 32
Ariz.	329	227	4,002	5,052	N	9	1,457	1,598	3	18 3
Utah Nev.	65 128	73 233	1,144 309	836 1,459	15 7	10 6	112 138	121 441	20 13	3 8
PACIFIC	3,370	4,402	43,271	54,638	128	70	8,776	11,686	477	483
Wash.	236	288	5,583	4,628	27	22	953	973	10	14
Oreg. Calif.	93 2,962	144 3,912	2,821 32,903	2,388 46,050	33 66	27 18	367 7,097	362 9,895	2 410	2 382
Alaska	12	22	946	724	2	-	156	210	1	85
Hawaii Guam	67	36 2	1,018 8	848 193	N N	3	203 2	246 27	54	ō5 -
P.R.	1,001	1,019	U	U	-	U	216	335	-	-
V.I. Amer. Samoa	17	51	N U	N U	N N	U U	U U	U U	U U	U U
C.N.M.I.	-	1	N	N	N	Ŭ	14	16	-	2

N: Not notifiable

U: Unavailable

-: no reported cases

C.N.M.I.: Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands

^{*}Updated monthly to the Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention—Surveillance and Epidemiology, National Center for HIV, STD, and TB Prevention, last update June 28, 1998.

†National Electronic Telecommunications System for Surveillance.

§Public Health Laboratory Information System.

TABLE II. (Cont'd.) Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending July 4, 1998, and June 28, 1997 (26th Week)

	Legion	iellosis		me ease	Mai	Syphilis Malaria (Primary & Secondary) Tuberculosis		Rabies, Animal			
Reporting Area	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998*	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998
UNITED STATES	506	418	2,735	2,361	541	757	3,273	4,304	5,962	8,473	3,457
NEW ENGLAND Maine	25 1	27 1	805 3	524 3	20 4	39 1	38 1	87	157 U	216 15	655 113
N.H.	3	4	17	7	3	2	1	-	6	6	33
Vt. Mass.	1 10	4 8	4 175	3 89	- 11	2 17	3 24	40	1 120	3 117	30 222
R.I. Conn.	4 6	5 5	32 574	43 379	2	3 14	- 9	2 45	30 U	16 59	36 221
MID. ATLANTIC	109	70	1,532	1,442	135	225	101	210	1,118	1,482	779
Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City	32 19	18 4	815 10	503 80	36 65	35 139	16 23	24 40	148 690	207 782	541 U
N.J. Pa.	4 54	14 34	238 469	370 489	20 14	38 13	19 43	90 56	280 U	303 190	97 141
E.N. CENTRAL	154	149	43	36	46	79	462	363	459	867	50
Ohio Ind.	66 23	65 26	37 5	12 10	3 2	9 7	74 100	112 75	5 6	149 79	37 4
III. Mich.	14 31	5 32	- 1	4 10	15 25	35 17	174 89	45 59	276 172	439 145	2 6
Wis.	20	21	U	Ú	1	11	25	72	U	55	1
W.N. CENTRAL Minn.	37 3	28 1	22 9	29 15	33 17	24 9	71 3	88 13	119 U	262 69	368 69
lowa Mo.	4 14	7 3	9 1	1 11	3 9	6 5	- 55	3 51	U 82	30 100	82 17
N. Dak. S. Dak.	1	2 2	-	-	2	1	1	-	U 14	5 7	74 66
Nebr.	12	10	1	1	-	1	4	1	5	12	3
Kans. S. ATLANTIC	3 70	3 55	2 235	1 209	2 133	2 123	8 1,374	20 1,694	18 924	39 1,605	57 1,080
Del. Md.	7 14	7 11	5 159	41 135	1 44	2 42	15 331	15 477	142	17 146	17 263
D.C.	4	3	4	7	10	9	39	65	58	50	-
Va. W. Va.	7 N	11 N	21 5	4 1	22	32	87 2	139 3	118 24	165 27	336 42
N.C. S.C.	6 5	6 2	13 2	8 1	12 4	7 9	383 161	360 211	205 159	196 187	136 77
Ga. Fla.	2 24	- 15	2 24	1 11	15 25	14 8	240 116	271 153	218 U	286 531	102 107
E.S. CENTRAL	21	28	25	38	14	16	554	920	160	634	130
Ky. Tenn.	12 6	7 14	7 8	5 15	2 8	4 4	59 284	76 385	U U	95 234	19 79
Ala. Miss.	3 U	2 5	10 U	4 14	4 U	5 3	132 79	238 221	160 U	201 104	32 U
W.S. CENTRAL	16	5	10	27	17	8	410	649	53	1,261	106
Ark. La.	1	1	5 -	8 1	1 4	2 4	54 150	96 200	53 -	107 85	21 -
Okla. Tex.	6 9	1 3	5	4 14	2 10	2	25 181	57 296	U U	114 955	85 -
MOUNTAIN Mont.	31 1	29 1	4	4	27	37 2	102	82	223 12	255 6	82 29
ldaho	-	2	1	- 1	3	2	- 1	-	8	7 2	-
Wyo. Colo.	1 6	1 9	2	1 -	7	18	8	4	2 U	49	41 1
N. Mex. Ariz.	2 4	1 7	-	1	11 5	5 4	12 76	4 65	28 111	19 115	2 7
Utah Nev.	16 1	5 3	- 1	2	1 -	2 4	3 2	3 6	33 29	11 46	2
PACIFIC Wash.	43 5	27 6	59 2	52 1	116 9	206 8	161 12	211 7	2,749 120	1,891 146	207
Oreg.	-	-	8	10	11	10	2	4	58	83	1
Calif. Alaska	37	20	48 1	41 -	95	181 3	147 -	198 1	2,464 25	1,523 44	186 20
Hawaii Guam	1	1	-	-	1	4	-	1 3	82	95 13	-
P.R.	-	-	-	-	-	3	114	122	46	88	28
V.I. Amer. Samoa	U U	U U	U U	U	U U	U	U	U	U	U	U U
C.N.M.I.	-	-	-	-	-	-	98	9	54	2	-

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^{*}Additional information about areas displaying "U" for cumulative 1998 Tuberculosis cases can be found in Notice to Readers, MMWR Vol. 47, No. 2, p. 39.

TABLE III. Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases preventable by vaccination, United States, weeks ending July 4, 1998, and June 28, 1997 (26th Week)

-	H. influ	ienzae,							Meas	les (Rubec	ola)	
		sive		4		3	Indi	genous	lmp	orted [†]		tal
Reporting Area	Cum. 1998*	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	1998	Cum. 1998	1998	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997
UNITED STATES	563	617	10,981	13,854	3,908	4,610	-	24	-	13	37	73
NEW ENGLAND	33 2	35 3	140	312	62 2	84 6	-	1	-	1	2	10
Maine N.H.	5	5	13 7	41 18	10	5	-	-	-	-	-	1
Vt. Mass.	2 22	3 21	13 42	7 154	1 17	5 37	-	1	-	1	2	- 8
R.I. Conn.	2	2 1	9 56	28 64	32	8 23	-	-	-	-	-	- 1
MID. ATLANTIC	80	84	706	1,148	575	670	_	9	_	2	11	16
Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City	33 15	19 23	166 188	157 512	158 143	127 266	-	2	-	-	2	4 5
N.J. Pa.	28 4	28 14	161 191	177 302	105 169	128 149	-	7	-	1 1	8 1	2 5
E.N. CENTRAL	4 84	92	1,356	302 1,481	385	774	-	9	-	3	1 12	8
Ohio	34	46	177	200	37	42	-	-	-	1	1	-
Ind. III.	23 23	8 25	89 219	146 374	37 67	55 146	-	2	-	1 -	3 -	6
Mich. Wis.	4	13	773 98	650 111	228 16	234 297	-	7 -	-	1 -	8 -	2
W.N. CENTRAL	51	30	875	1,021	176	265	-	-	-	-	-	11
Minn. Iowa	37 1	21 3	69 374	90 159	18 33	23 20	-	-	-	-	-	2
Mo. N. Dak.	8 -	3	346 3	556 9	98 4	194 3	U	-	U	-	-	1 -
S. Dak. Nebr.	-	2 1	16 15	14 41	1 7	- 8	-	-	-	-	-	8
Kans.	5	-	52	152	15	17	-	-	-	-	-	-
S. ATLANTIC Del.	119	101	946 2	748 16	569	548 3	-	2	-	5 1	7 1	3
Md.	38	42	173	118	83	82	-	-	-	1	1	1
D.C. Va.	12	7	30 129	14 99	6 53	21 64	-	-	-	2	2	1 -
W. Va. N.C.	4 15	3 17	1 51	6 105	3 111	9 121	-	-	-	-	-	- 1
S.C. Ga.	4 24	3 20	17 253	65 173	8 92	60 57	-	-	-	- 1	- 1	-
Fla.	22	9	290	152	213	131	-	2	-	-	2	-
E.S. CENTRAL Ky.	31 4	37 4	180 12	347 44	189 22	359 22	-	-	-	-	-	1
Tenn. Ala.	20 7	23 8	123 45	212 52	135 32	240 38	-	-	-	-	-	- 1
Miss.	Ú	2	U	39	U	59	Ū	Ū	Ū	Ū	Ū	-
W.S. CENTRAL Ark.	30	29 2	2,072 43	2,832 127	646 46	547 41	-	-	-	-	-	4
La.	13	6	41	110	47	63	-	-	-	-	-	-
Okla. Tex.	15 2	19 2	283 1,705	845 1,750	31 522	18 425	-	-	-	-	-	4
MOUNTAIN	67	64	1,732	2,048	434 3	447 5	-	-	-	-	-	7
Mont. Idaho	-	1	56 142	50 77	18	15	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wyo. Colo.	14	1 9	23 131	20 231	2 52	14 85	-	-	-	-	-	-
N. Mex. Ariz.	5 38	6 23	85 1,108	162 957	176 119	149 96	-	-	-	-	-	- 5
Utah	4	3 21	118 69	346 205	39 25	53 30	- U	-	- U	-	-	2
Nev. PACIFIC	68	145	2,974	3,917	25 872	916	-	3	-	2	- 5	13
Wash. Oreg.	4 29	2 24	573 209	280 193	64 58	39 57	-	-	-	1	1	-
Calif.	28	113	2,155	3,345	739	803	-	3	-	1	4	10
Alaska Hawaii	1 6	1 5	14 23	22 77	6 5	11 6	-	-	-	-	-	3
Guam	-	-	-	- 100	-	3	U	-	U	-	-	-
P.R. V.I.	2 U	U	23 U	180 U	238 U	391 U	Ü	Ü	Ü	U	ū	Ü
Amer. Samoa C.N.M.I.	U -	U 5	U 1	U 1	U 28	U 26	U	U -	U U	U -	U -	U 1

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^{-:} no reported cases

 $^{^*}$ Of 132 cases among children aged <5 years, serotype was reported for 74 and of those, 32 were type b. † For imported measles, cases include only those resulting from importation from other countries.

TABLE III. (Cont'd.) Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases preventable by vaccination, United States, weeks ending July 4, 1998, and June 28, 1997 (26th Week)

		ococcal ease		Mumps			Pertussis			Rubella	
Reporting Area	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	1998	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	1998	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	1998	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997
UNITED STATES	1,540	2,002	7	243	354	60	2,135	2,645	1	252	87
NEW ENGLAND	69	123	-	1	7	3	373	548	-	33	1
Maine N.H.	4 4	12 12	-	-	-	-	5 34	6 62	-	-	-
Vt. Mass.	1 34	2 64	-	- 1	2	3	36 282	172 285	-	- 6	- 1
R.I.	3	8	-	-	4	-	3	12	-	-	-
Conn.	23	25	-	-	1	-	13	11	-	27	-
MID. ATLANTIC Upstate N.Y.	144 37	205 58	-	16 3	43 9	10 10	274 140	212 78	-	112 105	24 4
N.Y. City N.J.	16 39	36 41	-	4 1	3 7	-	4 5	50 11	-	2 4	20
Pa.	52	70	-	8	24	-	125	73	-	1	-
E.N. CENTRAL Ohio	221 83	297 106	1	42 19	37 14	9 1	196 72	252 74	-	-	4
Ind.	41	33	1	5	4	8	61	29	-	-	-
III. Mich.	47 26	89 41	-	1 17	8 10	-	14 32	34 31	-	-	-
Wis.	24	28	-	-	1	-	17	84	-	-	4
W.N. CENTRAL Minn.	125 24	147 24	-	20 10	12 5	-	168 100	153 98	-	13	-
Iowa	20	31	-	6	6	-	39	8	-	-	-
Mo. N. Dak.	48	68 1	U -	3 1	-	U -	12	25 1	U -	2	-
S. Dak. Nebr.	6 4	4 5	-	-	- 1	-	4 5	3 3	-	-	-
Kans.	23	14	-	-	-	-	8	15	-	11	-
S. ATLANTIC	278	335 4	2	34	41	2	130	232	1	8	29
Del. Md.	1 23	35	-	-	1	-	1 26	79	-	-	-
D.C. Va.	23	5 34	- 1	5	6	-	1 6	2 25	-	-	- 1
W. Va. N.C.	9 40	14 62	-	8	7	-	1 44	4 68	-	- 5	- 22
S.C.	44	38	-	4	10	-	15	11	-	-	6
Ga. Fla.	61 77	62 81	1	1 16	5 12	2	6 30	6 37	- 1	3	-
E.S. CENTRAL	107	148	-	1	19	2	50	51	_	-	1
Ky. Tenn.	16 42	38 48	-	- 1	3 3	2	20 17	13 20	-	-	-
Ala.	49	45	-	-	6 7	-	13	12		-	1
Miss. W.S. CENTRAL	U 180	17 192	U 3	U 34	7 42	U 4	U 139	6 83	U	U 68	3
Ark.	22	25	-	-	-	1	19	6	-	-	-
La. Okla.	35 27	38 23	3	5 -	11 -	-	1 13	11 9	-	-	-
Tex.	96	106	-	29	31	3	106	57	-	68	3
MOUNTAIN Mont.	86 3	118 7	1 -	22	46 -	21 -	483 1	688 8	-	5 -	5 -
ldaho Wyo.	4 3	8 1	-	3 1	2 1	1	189 7	433 4	-	-	1
Colo.	19	30	-	4	3	1	97	182	-	-	-
N. Mex. Ariz.	15 30	19 30	N 1	N 5	N 29	- 18	64 89	32 15	-	1 1	4
Utah	9	11	Ū	3	6 5	1	24	4	- U	2 1	-
Nev. PACIFIC	330	12 437	- -	73	5 107	U 9	12 322	426	-	13	20
Wash.	41	52	-	5	12	9	148	182	-	9	5
Oreg. Calif.	56 228	89 293	N -	N 53	N 78	-	19 149	22 209	-	2	8
Alaska Hawaii	1 4	1 2	-	2 13	5 12	-	2 4	2 11	-	2	- 7
Guam	-	1	U	-	1	U	-	-	U	-	-
P.R. V.I.	5 U	8 U	- U	1 U	4 U	- U	2 U	- U	- U	- U	- U
Amer. Samoa	Ü	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	Ü	U
C.N.M.I.	-	-	U	2	4	U	1	-	U	-	-

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TABLE IV. Deaths in 122 U.S. cities,* week ending July 4, 1998 (26th Week)

	All Causes, By Age (Years)				<i>, ,</i>	D&I [†]			All Cau	ses. By	Age (Y	ears)		+	
Reporting Area	All Ages	>65	45-64		1-24	<1	P&I [†] Total	Reporting Area	All Ages	>65	45-64	25-44	1-24	<1	P&l [†] Total
NEW ENGLAND Boston, Mass. Bridgeport, Conn. Cambridge, Mass. Fall River, Mass. Hartford, Conn. Lowell, Mass. Lynn, Mass. New Bedford, Mass. New Haven, Conn. Providence, R.I. Somerville, Mass. Springfield, Mass. Waterbury, Conn.	514 118 48 17 30 30 25 11 5. 20 32 48 44 44 29	358 76 37 13 24 17 19 7 18 17 37 4 28 21	27 6 3 5 8 6 2 2 12 5	29 4 4 1 1 1 2 - 3	15 6 1 - - 2 - - - - -	10 5 - - 2 - - - 1	30 13 1 - - 2 - - 2	S. ATLANTIC Atlanta, Ga. Baltimore, Md. Charlotte, N.C. Jacksonville, Fla. Miami, Fla. Norfolk, Va. Richmond, Va. Savannah, Ga. St. Petersburg, Fla. Tampa, Fla. Washington, D.C. Wilmington, Del.	1,010 U 168 94 104 122 41 58 70 68 177 102 6	662 U 96 666 72 78 31 33 45 49 134 55 3	206 U 444 17 16 26 7 18 12 10 26 27 3	105 U 22 5 11 15 2 5 9 6 13 17	24 U 3 2 3 3 2 3 2 3 3 2 3 3	13 U 3 4 2 1 1 1	49 U 8 12 2 - 4 6 4 11 2
Worcester, Mass. MID. ATLANTIC Albany, N.Y. Allentown, Pa. Buffalo, N.Y. Camden, N.J. Elizabeth, N.J. Erie, Pa. Jersey City, N.J. New York City, N.Y. Newark, N.J. Paterson, N.J. Philadelphia, Pa. Pittsburgh, Pa.§ Reading, Pa. Rochester, N.Y. Schenectady, N.Y. Scranton, Pa. Syracuse, N.Y. Trenton, N.J. Utica, N.Y.	58 2,059 35 U 71 19 71 34 1,117 18 29 300 40 22 101 26 33 92 392 355	40 1,443 21 U 53 144 5 38 23 757 10 19 201 31 21 86 20 29 67 21	13 386 11 U 13 2 1 1 8 7 224 7 6 58 6 1 10 3 4 18 4 3	3 160 1 1 3 1 1 5 3 104 1 1 24 3 1 2 6 1 U	1 41 1 U 2 - - 1 22 - - - 1 22 - - - - - - - - -	1 29 1 U - 2 - - 10 - 3 8 - - 1 - 2 2	6 82 1 11 35 - 11 35 - 2 10 3	E.S. CENTRAL Birmingham, Ala. Chattanooga, Tenn. Knoxville, Tenn. Lexington, Ky. Memphis, Tenn. Mobile, Ala. Montgomery, Ala. Nashville, Tenn. W.S. CENTRAL Austin, Tex. Baton Rouge, La. Corpus Christi, Tex. Dallas, Tex. El Paso, Tex. Ft. Worth, Tex. Houston, Tex. Little Rock, Ark. New Orleans, La. San Antonio, Tex. Shreveport, La.	92 65 257 257 63 41 120 1,223 71	693 102 48 67 32 153 153 40 26 72 808 46 9 27 91 94 48 198 29 81 127 U	259 33 8 13 19 67 67 15 10 27 252 10 2 6 38 17 14 68 8 31 34 U	98 136 9 7 21 6 14 8 6 3 11 3 6 2 2 12 13 13 13 13 13 14 14 14 15 16 16 17 17 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18	25 31 23 66 - 13 43 5 - 24 21 87 74 40	39 4 21 4 10 10 23 3 3 4 3 1 3 1 3 9 4 3 7 U	60 10 6 4 3 11 11 2 5 8 6 4 3 - 2 3 4 7 2 4 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Yonkers, N.Y. E.N. CENTRAL Akron, Ohio Canton, Ohio Chicago, Ill. Cincinnati, Ohio Cleveland, Ohio Columbus, Ohio Dayton, Ohio Detroit, Mich. Evansville, Ind. Fort Wayne, Ind. Gary, Ind. Grand Rapids, Mich Indianapolis, Ind. Lansing, Mich. Milwaukee, Wis. Peoria, Ill. Rockford, Ill. South Bend, Ind. Toledo, Ohio Youngstown, Ohio W.N. CENTRAL Des Moines, Iowa Duluth, Minn. Kansas City, Kans. Kansas City, Kans. Kansas City, Mo. Lincoln, Nebr. Minneapolis, Minn. Omaha, Nebr. St. Louis, Mo. St. Paul, Minn. Wichita, Kans.	118 39 85 67 43 22 U 50 582 U 17 48 110 43	U 1,130 231 28 744 155 69 97 54 40 32 18 403 32 403 403 403 403 403 403 403 403 404 405 405 407 407 407 407 407 407 407 407 407 407	351 6 13 101 19 42 25 33 4 8 13 33 3 9 15 7 2 U 7 107 107 11 22 6 18 18 18 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19	133 4 2 52 2 4 8 6 19 3 4 1 3 3 5 1 6 9 - 1 U 3 21 U - 1 - 2 6 U 4 - 8	61 1 23 1 2 6 5 5 5 1 2 2 2 3 3 2 1 U 2 8 U 2 2 2 3 U 6 1 4	444 	96 102232166523 3 33321U2 35U11233U6910	Tulsa, Ökla. MOUNTAIN Albuquerque, N.M. Boise, Idaho Colo. Springs, Colo. Denver, Colo. Las Vegas, Nev. Ogden, Utah Phoenix, Ariz. Pueblo, Colo. Salt Lake City, Utah Tucson, Ariz. PACIFIC Berkeley, Calif. Fresno, Calif. Glendale, Calif. Honolulu, Hawaii Long Beach, Calif. Pasadena, Calif. Portland, Oreg. Sacramento, Calif. San Diego, Calif. San Francisco, Calif. San Jose, Calif. Santa Cruz, Calif. Seattle, Wash. Spokane, Wash. Tacoma, Wash.	113 171 28 148 18 101 96 1,713 17 46 28 63 50 543 23 69 179 135	58 566 58 21 42 71 113 21 98 15 59 68 1,255 12 36 23 49 34 399 34 399 34 399 34 399 34 399 3132 97 75 142 20 36 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 37 37	24 170 21 9 10 21 33 6 31 17 290 2 5 4 11 8 92 - 14 26 24 20 34 1 22 5 22 22 22 22 23 24 25 24 26 27 28 29 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20	9 78 10 3 14 15 - 11 2 8 104 2 - 1 3 7 32 - 9 12 8 10 10 18 8 - 1 813	3 23 2 2 1 3 4 1 4 - 3 3 3 3 6 1 1 2 2 3 5 - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	22 1 1 4 6 6 2 2 2 2 6 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 3 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	4 73 4 2 8 10 5 5 14 3 11 11 10 4 2 8 3 2 5 5 8 2 9 15 8 8 2 9 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10

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†Pneumonia and influenza.

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